

2022 - 2023 **Community Profile**

www.sweetwatertexas.net

Overview

Nolan County Zip Code 79556 Population 10,622 Land Area 10 sa mi

Closest Major Highways IH-20, US-84, Texas-70

Mean temperature 65.4F Closest major metropolitan area:

Dallas, TX (220 miles)

Nolan County Income Data

Nolan County Median Household Income

<u>Year</u>	Avg. Income
2019	\$45,537.00
2018	\$44,346.00
2017	\$42,019.00
2016	\$38,411.00
2015	\$37,102.00
2014	\$37,342.00

Nolan County Tax Rates

<u>Year</u>	<u>City</u>	County	<u>School</u>	<u>Hospita</u>	<u>l Total</u>
2022	0.507	0.419	.976	0.390	2.292
2021	0.548	0.537	1.026	0.415	2.5324

Nolan County Appraisal District: (325) 235-8421 Or visit their website at www.nolan-cad.org



Population

Nolan County Population

Period **Source Population** Year 2020 Annual US Census 14,738 US Census 15,216 2010 Annual

Population, City of Sweetwater 10,622 (100.0%)

Gender and Age

Males (51.3%) Females (48.7%)Median age 37.5 yrs.



Average commute time- 17.4 minutes

For additional community information contact: **Sweetwater Chamber of Commerce** (800) 658-6757 or visit www.sweetwatertexas.org

Nolan County Employment

Year	Labor	# of	# of Un	Unemployment	
	Force	Employed	Unemploye	d Rate	
2021	7,091	6,754	337	4.8	
2020	7,151	6,774	377	5.3	
2019	7,039	6,832	207	2.9	
2018	6,716	6,494	222	3.3	
2017	6,778	6,503	275	4.1	
Source: Texas I MI Tracer					

Perfectly Located

Cities within 250 miles of Sweetwater:

- Lubbock, Tx
- Austin, Tx
- Dallas, Tx
- Fort Worth, Tx
- Fredericksburg, Tx
- San Antonio, Tx
- Midland, Tx Odessa, Tx Amarillo, Tx



Healthcare / Emergency Services

<u>Hospital/medical center in Sweetwater:</u> Rolling Plains Memorial Hospital

The hospital offers the following services:

- Labor and Delivery
- Surgical
- CT Scans
- Ultrasound
- Nuclear Medicine
- MRI
- Physical, Occupational, Cardiac and Speech Rehabilitation
- Full-service Laboratory
- Pediatric
- General Medical
- State-designated Level IV Trauma Center

RPMH is accredited by the DNV (Det Norske Veritas Healthcare)

Medical staff includes, surgeons, a pediatrician, internists, and family medicine physicians.

200 E. Arizona St. / Call (325) 235-1701 Or visit their website at www.rpmh.net

Emergency Medical Service/Fire Department

- Provided by the City of Sweetwater
- Available 24 hours a day, seven days a week
- Professional staff of 23 firefighters and 3 administrative staff
- 3 firefighting engines, 2 grass rigs, and 1 large brush truck
- 3 ambulances with ALS capabilities
- 8 certified paramedics
- 1 rescue and 1 engine equipped with extrication tools
- Dive team for three area lakes
- All medical direction through the Rolling Plains Memorial Hospital
- Life support services
- 3 air ambulance services in the surrounding areas available for emergency transports

Sweetwater is one of only 23% of Texas fire departments that are "full time" staffed/funded fire departments & EMS. The other 77% are strictly volunteers.

Call (325) 235-4304 or (325) 236-6313 for more information

Police

Sweetwater has a municipal police department, and Nolan County has a Sheriff's office.

Sweetwater's Police Department employs a Chief, a lieutenant, 5 sergeants, and 14 patrol officers.

Contact the Sweetwater Police Department at (325) 236-6687 or the Nolan County Sheriff at (325) 235-5471 for more information.

Media

AM radio stations in Sweetwater:

KXOX 1240

FM radio stations in Sweetwater:

KXOX-FM 96.7 - www.kxox.net

Newspaper in Sweetwater:

Sweetwater Reporter - www.sweetwaterreporter.com

TV broadcast stations around Sweetwater:

KTAB Abilene, TX

KRBC Abilene, TX KTXS-TV Abilene, TX

FOX Abilene, TX

Library in Sweetwater: County-City Library

Location: 206 ELM ST, Sweetwater, TX 79556

Climate

Sweetwater - TX

Average

Seasonal Min / Max Temperature Degrees in FH

Winter 24 / 67 Spring 43 / 89 Summer 60 / 101 Fall 42 / 91

Average Rainfall 23.4 inches **Source: weatherspark.com**

SEED Contact Information



Sweetwater Enterprise for Economic Development Municipal Development District

P.O. Box 785 Sweetwater, TX 79556

877.301.SEED / 325.235.0555 / (f) 325.235.1026

www.sweetwatertexas.net

Transportation

Airports in Sweetwater:

Avenger Field

Number of Runways 2 Runway Surface Paved

Nearest Commercial/Passenger Air Service:

Abilene Regional Airport (ABI): American Airlines Midland International Airport: Southwest, American

Airlines, United

Lubbock International: American Airlines, Southwest,

United

San Angelo Regional/ Mathis Field (SJT): American

Airlines

Public Transportation:

Greyhound Station – Loves Travel Stop 9418 N. I-20, 800.231.2222

City and Rural Rides (CARR) – 800.710.CARR (2277)

Highways

Sweetwater sits at the crossroads of **Interstate Highway-20** and **Highways 70 and 84**. Highway 84 is a major divided, four-lane road connecting
Sweetwater to Lubbock, approximately 120 miles northwest.



Railways

Sweetwater is served by to two Class 1 rail lines-- the BNSF Railway and Union Pacific, and by the TXOR Shortline.



Education / Workforce Training

College/University in Sweetwater:

Texas State Technical College Location: 300 Homer K Taylor Dr. Visit their website at <u>www.tstc.edu</u>

<u>Colleges/universities within 50 miles of</u> Sweetwater:

Abilene, TX approximately 45 miles:

Hardin-Simmons University Abilene Christian University McMurry University Cisco Junior College TSTC – Abilene Campus

Snyder, TX approximately 35 miles:

Western Texas College

Education / Workforce Training Cont.



For more information call (325) 235-8601 Visit their website at www.sweetwaterisd.net

Total Enrollment for SISD: 1994

Public high school in Sweetwater:

Sweetwater High School - Location: 1205 Ragland;

Grades: 9 – 12, Enrollment: 553

<u>Public primary/middle schools in/near</u> Sweetwater:

Sweetwater Middle School - 305 Lamar;

Grades: 6 – 8, Enrollment: 461

Sweetwater Intermediate School - 705 E Third;

Grades: 3 - 5, Enrollment: 399

Southeast Elem. School -1201 Mustang Dr;

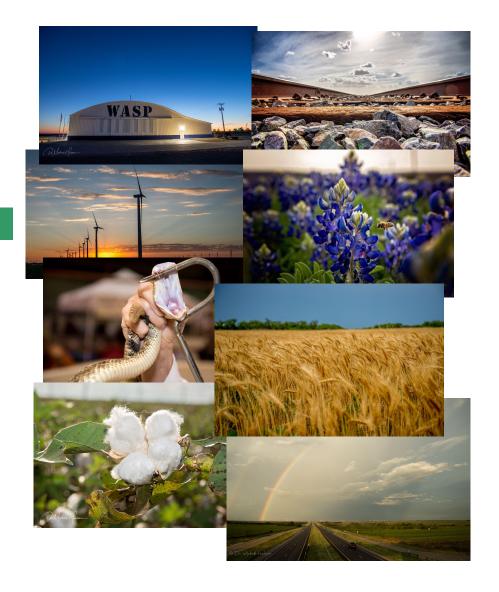
Grades: PK - KG, Enrollment: 258

East Ridge Elem. School -1700 E 12th St;

Grades: PK - 3, Enrollment: 254

Southeast Early Childhood -1201 Mustang Dr.;

Grades: Daycare and EE



Major Employers

Rank	Organization/Company	# Of Employees
1.	SISD	399
2.	Ludlum Measurements	345
3.	Rolling Plains Hospital	320
4.	USG	240
5.	Wal-Mart	190
6.	Nine (Crest Pumping Technologies)	150
7.	City of Sweetwater	140
8.	Nolan County	113
9.	Buzzi Unicem, USA	105
10.	TSTC	104
11.	MHMR	100
12.	TA Travel Stop	97
13.	Georgia Pacific	90
14.	Crane Service	82
15.	Eagle Railcar	74
16.	Union Pacific Railway	70
17.	E.On	60
18.	Brookshire's Grocery	60
19.	Sweetwater Steel	46
20.	W.E.T.S	41
21.	Lone Star Trucking	40
22.	Rolling Plains Cotton Compress	39
23.	First Financial Bank	38
24.	Texas National Bank	28
25.	Roscoe State Bank	26
26.	Mahaffey Construction	25
27.	EMA	24
28.	B-Line Lube	20
29.	Oncor	16

Utilities

Water

Sweetwater Water Treatment Plant

Maximum System Capacity (daily): 3,350,000 gallons Maximum Pumping Rate: 3,300,000 gallons Maximum Daily Use to Date: 2,576,758 gallons Normal Daily Capacity: 2,059,042 gallons Pressure on mains: 60-85 PSI Storage Capacity(treated): 1,917,557 gallons Size of Mains: 2" to 16" System Looped: Yes

For more information on:

Refuse Collection & Disposal Water & Wastewater Code Enforcement Public Works

Contact the City of Sweetwater: (325) 236-6313
Or visit: www.cityofsweetwatertx.com



Utilities cont.

Electric Power Oncor Electric Delivery

Reliability: .999765 Total Capacity: 22,808,000 KW

Transmission Voltage: 69 KV

138 KV 345 KV

Service Voltage: 120/208

120/240 240/480 277/480

For new service visit:

www.powertochoose.org or call 1-877-PWR-4-TEX

Natural Gas

ATMOS:

BTU content per cubic foot: minimum 950, maximum 1100) at 14.65 psi dry

Call (800) 460-3030 for more information

Source: www.atmosenergy.com



Telephone AT&T Telephone:

Digital: Yes
Analog: Yes
Fiber Optics: Yes
High Capacity Digital (T-1): Yes
Digital Data Service: Yes
911 Service: Yes

Call (877) 421-2203 for more information

Suddenlink

Call (844) 874-7558 for more information.

<u>Cellular</u> <u>Internet Service Providers</u>

Verizon AT&T AT&T Suddenlink

T-Mobile Balatize Broadband

<u>Cable Satellite Cable Providers</u>

Suddenlink DirecTV AT&T Dish Network